



## **BEARFACTS 1995 – 2005**

### **Oktibbeha , Mississippi [28105]**

Oktibbeha is one of 82 counties in Mississippi. It is part of the Starkville, MS Micropolitan SA. Its 2005 population of 42,468 ranked 17th in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2005 Oktibbeha had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$24,906. This PCPI ranked 18th in the state and was 98 percent of the state average, \$25,490, and 72 percent of the national average, \$34,757. The 2005 PCPI reflected an increase of 8.8 percent from 2004. The 2004-2005 state change was 5.6 percent and the national change was 4.9 percent. In 1995 the PCPI of Oktibbeha was \$14,718 and ranked 46th in the state. The 1995-2005 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 5.4 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.2 percent and for the nation was 4.2 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2005 Oktibbeha had a total personal income (TPI) of \$1,057,703\*. This TPI ranked 17th in the state and accounted for 1.4 percent of the state total. In 1995 the TPI of Oktibbeha was \$597,895\* and ranked 19th in the state. The 2005 TPI reflected an increase of 9.6 percent from 2004. The 2004-2005 state change was 6.1 percent and the national change was 5.9 percent. The 1995-2005 average annual growth rate of TPI was 5.9 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.9 percent and for the nation was 5.3 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Oktibbeha. In 2005 net earnings accounted for 65.5 percent of TPI (compared with 64.6 in 1995); dividends, interest, and rent were 17.0 percent (compared with 18.2 in 1995); and personal current transfer receipts were 17.5 percent (compared with 17.2 in 1995). From 2004 to 2005 net earnings increased 8.2 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 18.3 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 7.2 percent. From 1995 to 2005 net earnings increased on average 6.0 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 5.1 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.1 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Oktibbeha increased from \$720,916\* in 2004 to \$786,310\* in 2005, an increase of 9.1 percent. The 2004-2005 state change was 3.7 percent and the national change was 5.4 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1995 estimate of \$440,812\* to the 2005 estimate was 6.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.5 percent and for the nation was 5.5 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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